

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 02734.0517-00000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Hung L. CHOU et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1731
	)	
Application No.: 10/676,017	)	Examiner: Dennis R. CORDRAY
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Filed: October 2, 2003	)	
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For: PAPER PRODUCTS INCLUDING	)	Confirmation No.: 6440
SURFACE TREATED	)	
THERMALLY BONDABLE FIBERS	)	
AND METHODS OF MAKING THE	)	
SAME	)	

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**VIA EFS-Web**

Sir:

**SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

In reply to the Final Office Action dated June 1, 2006 ("Final Office Action"), and further to the Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") and the Petition for Extension of Time for two (2) months filed herewith, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.